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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Ronald Huner

Application No.: 09/830,888

Group No.: 1731

Filed: 12/05/2001

Examiner: Christopher A. Fiorilla

For: Surface-Modified Manganese Sulfide, Method for Producing the Same and Use Thereof

Commissioner for Patents

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is a small entity.

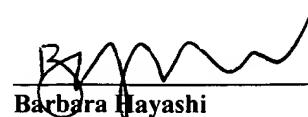
EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

CERTIFICATE OF FIRST CLASS MAILING (37 C.F.R. Section 1.10/1.8(a))

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Date: 10/9/03


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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE		ADDIT. FEE	
TOTAL	39	-	20	=	19	x \$ 9.00 = \$ 171.00
INDEP.	2	-	3	=	0	x \$ 43.00 = \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			+ \$ 0.00	= \$ 0.00		
			TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		\$	171.00

Total additional fee for claims required \$171.00

FEE PAYMENT

5. Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$171.00 to Deposit Account No. 502191.

Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above.

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FEE DEFICIENCY

6. An additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 502191.

An additional fee for claims is required, charge Account No. 502191.

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action of July 14, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings -/-

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

Appendix -/-

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